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For: RARE EARTH FLUOROSULPHIDES)
OR OXYFLUOROSULPHIDES,)
METHODS FOR PREPARING SAME)
AND USE THEREOF AS DYEING)
PIGMENT)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

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